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Danh	er Wang	)	Group Art Unit: 1648
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	Genetic Vaccine Against Human Immunodeficiency Virus	) ) )	

## **AMENDMENT**

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## **Introductory Comments:**

Applicants submit this amendment in response to the Examiner's Office Action on Election/Restrictions mailed on September 24, 2003. Reconsideration of the above-reference application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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